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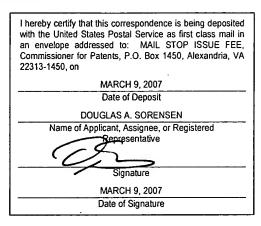
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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:



AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312

This Amendment is filed in response to the Notice of Allowance dated December 28, 2006, which provides for a response period ending March 28, 2007.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

The Transmittal of Issue Fee is being filed concurrently herewith.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: